



MARYLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY
VETERANS CAUCUS

TO: Chair Vanessa E. Atterbeary
Ways and Means Committee

FROM: Maryland Veterans Caucus, House Membership

DATE: February 15th, 2024

RE: **HB952 - Income Tax - Subtraction Modification - Military Retirement
(Keep Our Heroes Home Act)**

The Maryland Veterans Caucus, House Membership respectfully requests a favorable report on **HB952 - Income Tax - Subtraction Modification - Military Retirement (Keep Our Heroes Home Act)**

This bill was sponsored by **Delegate Rogers** for the purpose of phasing in, over a 3 year period, an increase in a subtraction modification under the Maryland income tax to allow for a subtraction modification of all military retirement income; and generally relating to a subtraction modification under the Maryland income tax for military retirement income.

The Veterans Caucus mission is to study, develop, and promote legislation designed to improve the quality of life for veterans in the State of Maryland in the areas of employment, education, economics, training, and health. And to assist the Maryland Department of Veterans Affairs in achieving its mission and goals, on behalf of the veterans in the State.

The Veterans Caucus Legislative Review Board offers and **recommends support and a favorable report of HB952.**

Thank you,

Mike Rogers

Delegate Mike Rogers
Acting Chair, Veterans Caucus

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